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### 74TH MASONIC ANNIVERSARY IS CELEBRATED IN GREAT BANQUET

More Than 160 Masons Assembled Saturday Evening to Commemorate Coming of Order to Islands-Many Visitors and States Represented

lodge, No. 371, F. and A. M., to fele- Minnesota and Washington brate the seventy-fourth anniversary of the musical feature of the program of the coming of Maschry to the Ha-was well taken care of by Harry Den-

the Pacific. He established Lodge moment in the vhole evening. l'Progres de le Oceanie, No. 124, A. and | Mason Names. A. S. R., on the evening of April 8, 1842. The present Oceanic lodge is name and transferred since annexa- Shields, W. M. Hawai an Lodge 21: tion to the California jurisdiction.

developed at the close of the evening's West Point 877, N. Y .; G. J. Boisse, set program, when a call for the mem- Oceanic Lodge 371; A. F. Clark, from a lodge in Bermuda.

Hotel was appropriately decorated for Canada; Henry T. Haustein, St. Paul's Oceanic 371; Dana Norton, Oceanic the occasion, the square and compass No. 14, Newport, Rhode Island; John 371 > Alexander J. Porter, Hawaiian being outlined in colored lights at E. Burns, Hawaiian No. 21, Honolulu; 21; Irwin Spalding. Hawaiian 21; Aleither end of the soom. Midway the Charles R. Bales, Schoffeld 443; H. fred K. Magoon, Oceanic 371; Jas. L. American and Hawaiian flags were M. Frandsen, Schofield 443; Melvin Friel, Hawaiian Lodge No. 21; Jas. R. draped about a picture of the late L. Crisp, 1st Sgt. Co. K. 1st Inf., Scho- M. MacLean, P. M., Hawaiian Lodge King Kalakaua in the full regalia of field Biss., H. I., No. 443, S. W. Scho- No. 21; Paul Arndt, Oceanic 371; M. a Knight Templar. During his reign field L.; Samuel I. Zeidner, Schofield C. King, Oceanic 371; V. L. Bailey, King Kalakaua served as worshipful Lodge No. 443; Lloyd S. Burgess, Honolulu No. 409; C. F. Merrill, master of Lodge l'Progres. Prominent Schofield 443; Melvin R. Grim, Alamo Oceanic 371; H. Harders, Oceanic 371; among the guests was Past Master 44, San Anionio, Tex.; James T. Mac- H. Trener, Oceanic Lodge No. 371; J. John Neill, one of the oldest Masons Donald, Weston Lodge No. 42, Little- R. Collins, Oceanic Lodge No. 371; in the territory and the oldest living ton, Colo.; Lewis C. Dysart, Living Chas. H. Jewell, Irondequoit Lodge past master of Hawaiian Lodge No. ston No. 32, Livingston, Mont.; M. M. 301, Dunkirk, New York; Walter R. 21. Masters and past masters of the local lodges were the guests of Ocean-liam W. Lewis, Schofield No. 443; S. Lodi, Wis.; H. D. Burdick, Lt. C. A. ic, and also the officers and men Ma- O. Walsh, Schofield No. 443; David P. C., Lawrence No. 6, Lawrence, Kans.; sons of the army and navy, who were Solomon, Schofield No. 443; A. E. Tin- John L. Shelow, Schofield Lodge No. especially well represented.

opening of the after-dinner program, the last past master of Lodge l'Progres previous to its members passing ett 139, San Francisco, Cal.; C. M. No. 1, Columbus, Ohio; Felix B. La briefly introducing W. R. Farrington, over to the American jurisdiction, as Bassett, Port Townsend No. 6, Port Crosse, 354 Presidio, San Francisco. the toastmaster.

History Is Reviewed. to Hawaii, previous to any lodge being established in any part of the mainland west of the Rocky Mountains. He riah No. 59, New Orleans, La.; Leo J gave historical detail of the associa- Bon, Columbus No. 30, Columbus

Judge C. W. Ashford responded to the toast "In the Days of Kalakaua," G. W. Bigler, Oceanic 371; H. G. Park Judge Ashford knew the late King Kalakaus through his association with the Knight Templars rather than the blue lodge of which the king was head. He spoke as a friend and Masonic brother and told of the deep in. 1st class, H Co., Cache Lodge 216, terest which Kalakana had always St. Louis, Mo.; Gus C. Pechert, P. M., shown in Masonic history, as well as Oceanic Lodge 2.1; William Bell, P. the regular work of the Masonic ac-

Past Master James F. Fenwick, the ocal representative of the Grand Lodge of California, spoke to the topic When California Came to Hawaii,' His remarks were centered about facts in the history of Hawaiian lodge, California's first representative here and one of the earliest lodges to give allegiance to the Grand Lodge of California. Hawaiian lodge now has a membership of over 300.

Past Master Norman E. Gedge, the lately appointed deputy of the Supreme Council of the Scottish Rite, responded for the Scottish Rite, first brought to the islands by the late John Dominis, husband of Queen Lilinokalani. This rite now has active lodges on three islands of the groups.

Masons of Service Represented. "Masonry as a Character Builder' furnished the text for Chaplain Scott of Fort Shafter to deliver a splendid address on the active moral force of Masonry. Chaplain Scott took occasion to refer especially to the cordiality with which the Masons of the service have been received in all Hono-Masonic activities and expressed belief that this was one of the strongest links to bring together the men of the Service and the civilians

Worshipful Master Walter Shields responded for Hawalian lodge, calling attention to the historical fact that Hawaiian lodge carried forward Masonic work and interest during one of the periods in the history of Lodge Progres when it was all but dormant. He brought a message of praise for 4; A. Ludeman, Schoffeld 445; Dr. U. the past and bright hopes for the fu-

Past Master George W. Smith spoke for Honolulu lodge. This organization Jackson, U.; M. Evans, Washington like l'Progres began its career under a foreign juriscation, the Grand Lodge of Scotland. It had grown and prospered and had changed its jurisdiction for the sole reason that an American allegiance was natural destiny. Mr. Smita extended congratula- perg, Oceanic No. 311; John Conley, tions to the officers and members of

Youngest Lodge Heard From. Schofield, the youngest Masonic ledge of the islands, was represented 10, r. & A. M.; Jno. A. Palmer, Oceanby Jay C. Schugart, U. S. A., of Scho- ic 371; W. C. Baker, Chester, Pa., 236; held, who briefly and pleasantly re. J. A. M. Johnson, Oceanic; Guy L. ferred to the happy relations existing Gearhart, Navai Louge, Florida; H. T. between the youngest lodge and the Harpeiden, Lodge Oceanic 371; R. O. representative of the oldest.

to learn that these islands held the honor of having the first Masonic lodge west of the Rockies; and Brother J. W. Wickwire from the state of New York told of his entrance into the order 53 years ago and proved that he is still a very vigorous and enthusiastic member. This raye through Ashlord the inspiration gave Huron Ashford the inspiration | Trag is or Hurby Lyo Bready Co., Chicago

More than 160 members of the Ma-; to suggest that the state jurisdictions sonic Order assembled Saturday even- be heard from, and 21 state jurisdicing at the dinner given at the Young tions were heard from, all the way Hotel under the auspices of Oceanic from Florida and Texas to Vermont,

waitan islands.

The first lodge established in the islands was instituted by the captain and life. It was well after midnight of a French trading vessel who had a when the banqueters left the table commission from the Grand Lodge of and though the program was nearly France to establish Masonic lodges in four hours long there was not a dull

L. A. Kerr, Oceanic 371; C. W. Ashford, Oceanic 371; James F. Fenwick, the old Lodge l'Progres under a new P. M. Honolulu Lodge 409; Walter C. C. Shugert, Schofield 443; E. W. Ely. One of the very interesting features schofield Lodge 443; W C. Bonner, bership of various jurisdictions among Oceanic Lodge 371; J. E. McBrian, those present showed 21 state juris- Schofield Lodge 443; Geo. S. Curry, 371; L. Mitchell, Herman No. 191, New dictions represented and one man Oceanic 371; C. W. Jordan, Naval 87, Orleans, La.; J. H. Magoon, F. C., Vailejo, Cal.; John Fothergill, Canso Oceanic No. 571; K. S. Decker, The sixth floor cafe of the Young Lodge No. 79, Canso, Nova Scotia, Oceanic 371; Huron K. Ashford, ker, Oceanic 371; W. G. Quinn, Sack- 443; Augustus C. Boling, Schofield Worshipful Master Lawrence A. et Harbor, N. Y., No. 135; Wesley F. Lodge No. 443; John C. Grant, Presi-Kerr called the diners to order for the Kane, Schofield No. 443; Albert Birdio 354, San Francisco, Cal.; George mele, Hancock No. 311, Kansas; B. E. A. Polhie, Schofield 443; L. D. Harp, Webb, Army and Navy No. 306, Fort Perseverance Lodge No. 329, Sandus-Townsend, Wash.; J. H. Hall, Washington No. 4, Vancouver, Wash.; John The first toast by Past Master Ed F. Bowler, Oceanic 371, Honolulu; Jas. Towse was an instructive historical C. McGill, Honolulu 409, Honolulu; J. W. Wickwire, Akron Lodge No. 527, Akron, Drie Co., N. Y. (a Mason over 53 years); A. D. Binford, Mount Morof the Hawalian kings and the busi- not No. 46, New Rochelle, N. Y.; Harsocial and political leaders of ry Denison, Oceanic 371; August Stanish, Schofield Lodge 443, Schofield Barracks; R. J. Dewar, Oceanic 371 er, Nine Mile 49, Lansing, Kans (past master); O. Hall, St. Johns No. 9, Seattle, Wash; Agt. Chas. C. Clabaugh, Webster Lodge No. 61, Wincoski, Vt.; Francis W. Wickett, Sgt.

M., Honoiulu 409; F. Schnack, Honolula 409; E. F. Rowold, Honorulu No. 409; Alvert Blatt, Oceanic No. 371; H. Halpern, Honofulu 409; C. Wade, Schofield 443; W. C. Booker, Schoffeld 443; A. A. Hartman, Naval 87, Vallejo, Cal.; Herbert Collegnon, Mt. Moriah 59, New Orleans, La.; William M. Betry, Army and Navy 306, Fort Monroe, Va.; Altred P. Greenway, Schoneld Loage 443; Wm. Dale, Schoneid Lodge 443; A. Johnson, Naval 87, Vallejo, Calif.; Ferd Hons, 984 Lodge, Mam; F. J. Lowry, 150 Cresco, Cresco, lowa; James E. Jaeger, Honorulu 409; J. Smyth, Oceanic 371; G. S. Wright, Oceanic 371; J. H. Ketcheson, Oceanic 371; John T. McConin, Schoneid 443; A. A. Durant; H. M. Mix; W. C. Kenake; Ernest I. Morgan; W. Jones; Norman Farmather; ried A. Brown, Marsellies, Ill., 417; J. A. Car tez, Hawalian 21; T. H. Fetrie, Honoiuiu No. 407; James Connaghan, No. 443; AIVAR H. Tuomasson, No. 395, N. C.; sames T. Philips, California No. San Francisco, Cal.; John Neall, Hawaiian No. 21, fronolaiu; William Reese Scott, Army and Navy 306, rortress monroe, Va.; Geo. W. Smith, Honorutu 822, Honorulu; Norman E. weuge, 33d degree, monoium; La rowse, Oceanic No. 371; W. R. Farlington, Oceanic No. 3/1; Cyril U. Smith; 371; Frank Angrage, 371; maipu E. mcGhee, 371; v. m. monsarrat, r. M.; Hawanan Lodge No. 21, r'. & A. M.; Coaries Benger, Schohe.a Lodge No. 443; John H. Drew, P. M., Honolulu Louge 409; R. W. Perkins, P. M., Hohoman Louge 409; T. N. Barreil, oil; Uscar Kain, Wasnington No. u. skenon, nogerun Lodge ser, hagerton, U.; B. narrison, monolulu 403; Dr. H. M. Deiver, 'I rowel Lodge 132, No. 4, vancouver, Wasa.; M. H. Carroll, Washington No. 4, Vancouver, Wash. Jas. L. Galfard, Swiss, A. Car., bala treek No. 397; C. C. Pittam, Schoherd 443; Lieut. A. P. Matnews, Honorum Louge No. 21; A. Garten-Honolulu 409; A. G. Hess, Hawanan 21; Thomas T. Harrison, 808, Ft. 1 nomas, Ky.; C. J. de Roo, Oceanic 371, Honorum; F. B. West, 3/1 Ocean-Edwards, Pythagoras No. 249, N. C.;

Answering imprompte calls from the C. M. Walson, rique Lodge No. 4. constmaster, Past Master John Neill Delaware; H. H. Williams, P. M., Hotold something of the old days; Mr. | nolulu Lodge 409; T. H. Hughes (Ty-Phillips, a member of California No. ler), Hawaiian Lodge No. 21; R. G. 1, responded with the statement that bert, Washington No. 4, Wash.; B. J. he had to come all the way to Hawaii Granulated Eyelida,



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Ah Soon Nam, winner of the trophy last year, was second, getting honorable mention, and Kiyoichi Doi third. A crowd of relatives, friends and other students filled Wilcox hall and applauded the competitors. This was the fourth annual competition in a

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Honolulu may have the services of a federal road expert to advise on its road problems. George M. Collins, city engineer, has written to Legan Waller-Page director of public roads of the department of agriculture, asking for informatica on the subject. If t is possible, as is asserted by Supervisor Larsen, to get the advisory services of a government expert free, a formal request for them will be made by the mayor.

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